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Preparations for the special session of the General Assembly on the implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and further initiatives

Review reports and proposals for further action and initiatives submitted by organs and specialized agencies of the United Nations system and other concerned organizations

Note by the Secretary-General

1. The Preparatory Committee for the Special Session of the General Assembly on the Implementation of the Outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and Further Initiatives, in paragraph (a) of decision 1 on the role of the United Nations system,[1] invited all relevant organs and specialized agencies of the United Nations system and other concerned organizations to elaborate and submit review reports and proposals for further action and initiatives, taking into account national reports submitted by Governments. In paragraph (b) of decision 1, the Preparatory Committee requested the Secretary-General, as part of his overall preparations for the special session, to make available those review reports and proposals to the Preparatory Committee at its second substantive session, in April 2000 and, where appropriate, to the Commission for Social Development at its thirty-eighth session, in February 2000.

2. In paragraph (h) of its decision 2 on further preparations for the special session,[1] the Preparatory Committee invited the organizations, funds, programmes and specialized agencies of the United Nations system, including the Bretton Woods institutions, and any other organizations which had been requested to provide reports, studies or documentation to the Preparatory Committee at its second

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session, to make that work available to the Secretary-General no later than 1 January 2000. It requested that each of the documents submitted should contain a short, precise summary of conclusions on the assessment of issues and proposals for further action.

3. The Secretary-General is circulating for the information of the Preparatory Committee and, where appropriate, the Commission for Social Development, the reports provided by the relevant organs and specialized agencies of the United Nations system and other concerned organizations as a series of addenda to the present note. The relevant reports will be made available as received in the language or languages of submission.

Notes

[1] *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 45* (A/54/45 and corrigendum), chap. VI, sect. B.